

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

KATHRYN BAUMAN RUBENSTEIN

Plaintiff,

v.

BETTY JO BAUMAN, et al.,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO.

1:07cv798-MHT

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Comes now John A. Smyth III of the law firm Maynard, Cooper & Gale, P.C. and enters his appearance as Specially Appointed Deputy Attorney General for the State of Alabama, appearing as counsel for Judy Byrd, former Circuit Clerk of the Houston County Circuit Court, Carla Hemby Woodall, Circuit Clerk of the Houston County Circuit Court, and Cynthia Pittman, Assistant Circuit Clerk for Houston County, Alabama.

On this 4th day of October, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ John A. Smyth III
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Carla Hemby Woodall, Circuit Clerk of the
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing NOTICE OF APPEARANCE has been filed with the Clerk of this Court and that the Court's electronic filing system will send notification of such filing to all counsel/parties of record with the following exceptions to be notified via regular U.S. Mail, postage pre-paid:

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